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Amendment A

Honorable Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on September 26, 2002, please amend the above application as follows:

In the Abstract:

Please amend the abstract as follows:

Ultrasmall, complex-shaped high-precision micromolds are produced by controlled shrinkage upon sintering of green parts molded from mixtures of micrometer- or nanometer-sized particulates dispersed in an organic binder.

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